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## WILL LIE IN ST. LOUIS.

General Sherman's Funeral Set For Friday.

### AN ESCORT OF SOLDIERS.

Scenes at the Death-Bed of the Hero of the March to the Sea—To Be Buried at St. Louis—Funeral Arrangements.

THE PRESIDENT INFORMS CONGRESS. WASHINGTON, Feb. 16.—The news of General Sherman's death reached Washington in the form of a private dispatch to the President from Senator Sherman, which contained the simple words: "General Sherman passed away at 1:40 p. m."

The President sent the following message to Congress: "TO THE SENATE AND HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES: The death of William Tecumseh Sherman, which took place today at his residence in the city of New York at 1:40 o'clock p. m., is an event that will bring sorrow to the heart of every patriotic citizen. No living American was so loved and venerated as he. To look upon his face, to hear his name, was to have one's love of country intensified. He served his country, not for fame, not out of a sense of professional duty, but for love of the flag and of the beneficent institutions of which it was the emblem. He was an ideal soldier and shared to the fullest the spirit



GENERAL SHERMAN.

de corps of the army, but he cherished the civil institutions organized under the constitution and was only a soldier that these might be perpetuated in undiminished usefulness and honor. He was in nothing an imitator. A profound student of military science and president, he drew from them principles and suggestions and so adapted them to novel conditions that his campaigns will continue to be the profitable study of the military profession throughout the world. His genial nature made him comrades to every soldier of the great Union army. No presence was so welcome and inspiring at the campfire or commandery as his. His career was complete; his honors were full. He had received from the Government the highest rank known to our military establishment and from the people unstinted gratitude and love. No word of misdeed can add to his fame.

"His death has followed in startling quickness that of the Admiral of the Navy, and it is a sad and a notable incident that when the department under which he served shall have put on the usual emblems of mourning, four of the eight Executive Departments will be simultaneously draped in black, and one other has but today removed the ermine from its walls."

"BESSIE MRS. HARRISON."

When the message from the President announcing the death of General Sherman was laid before the Senate, Senator Hawley (Conn.) rose and offered resolutions recording the profound sorrow of the Senate at the announcement and renewing that body's acknowledgment of the inestimable services which he rendered to his country in the day of its extreme peril, lamenting the great loss which the country has sustained and deeply sympathizing with his family in its bereavement. The resolutions were adopted unanimously, and the presiding officer was requested to appoint a committee of five Senators to attend the funeral of General Sherman. The names of the committee were not announced. Before the resolutions were adopted, however, eloquent addresses were made by Senators Morgan (Ala.), Manderson (Neb.), Davis (Minn.) and Evans (N. Y.).

PRELIMINARY arrangements for the funeral have been made. The cortege will form at 1 o'clock on Thursday next at the house of West Seneca, first street, and move promptly at 2 o'clock. The funeral services proper will be held in St. Louis. The funeral procession in this city will be made up as follows: The regular army escort will be under the command of Colonel Loomis L. Langdon, of the First Artillery. It will consist of all the infantry battalions located in the vicinity of New York harbor. The artillery will be made up of the First Artillery United States Army, Dillenbanks' Light Battery and two four-gun batteries of the National Guard. The cavalry will consist of a troop of regulars and Troop A of the National Guard. The body will be borne on a caisson. An escort of honor from Lafayette Post, Grand Army of the Republic, will surround the caisson and the pall-bearers, who will be in carriages. Following them will come the family and relatives in carriages. Then the President and Vice-President of the United States, ex-President Hayes, ex-President Cleveland, delegations from the United States Senate and House of Representatives, the Governor of the State of New York and the mayor of the city. The military part of the procession will follow the carriages in this order: The Loyal Legion, Grand Army posts, corps of cadets, National Guard, S. N. G., delegations from civic societies, citizens. The line of march from Desbrosses street ferry had not been decided upon yet. The department of the Grand Army of the Republic will be under the command of General Floyd Clarkson; the National Guards under General Fitzgerald; the regular escort under Colonel Landon. General Howard, in command of the military, designated General Butterfield as marshal in charge of the column. Veterans of the Seventh Regiment and those from other regiments will be assigned to positions at the Desbrosses street ferry to receive the cortege on its arrival there. At the New Jersey end of the ferry will be stationed posts of veterans from that State. G. A. R. posts at points along the route who desire to pay honor to the remains will be notified in season.

The bearers will be: General J. M. Schofield, General O. O. Howard, Rear-Admiral D. L. Braine, Rear-Admiral L. A. Kimberly, General Thomas L. Casey, General J. C. Felton, Prof. H. L. Kendrick, General Joseph E. Johnston, General H. W. Slocum, General Daniel E. Sickles, General L. L. Dodge, General J. M. Corse, General Walter Swayne, General S. L. Woodford. General Clarkson expects to have 10,000 soldiers in line from New York and

from New Jersey. Generals Howard and Slocum were asked by the family to take entire charge of the funeral and to accompany the body to St. Louis. The interment will be in Calvary Cemetery, St. Louis, in the family plot, beside the body of Mrs. Sherman and those of his two sons, William, Jr., who died when he was 9 years old, and Charles, who was born and who died during the march to the sea, and whom the General never saw.

The funeral in St. Louis will be strictly military in character. On account of the expressed wish of General Sherman when alive, it was decided not to comply with the request of President Harrison that the body be taken to Washington and there lie in state for a day. It will not lie in state anywhere. The casket is oak covered with black cloth and lined with white satin. The handles are plain silver bars, and on the lid is a plate of plain silver on which is inscribed the name, "William Tecumseh Sherman," and the date of his birth and death. While being transported from here to St. Louis the casket will be placed in a polished oak box with silver trimmings. The body is now lying embalmed in the room where the General died. It is covered with an American flag.

The General was unconscious for some time before death. He did not suffer any pain. His respirations grew weaker and ceased entirely at 1:50. The end came so easily that for a moment it was not possible to realize that he was dead. The watchers beside the bedside of the dying hero refused to give up every thread of hope until the last moment. The famous patient had rallied so many times since he was taken ill that his friends believed he would again keep death at bay. Even when his head sank perceptibly to the right side and there was no respiration for fully a minute, at 12:35, the physician, Dr. Alexander, turned to Senator John Sherman and said: "He is not dead; he will breathe again." And the relatives and friends about the couch drew a breath of relief. The doctor's prophecy was correct, for the great warrior moved uneasily in less than a minute and he made a move as if to lift his eyelids, but for the first time his strength had deserted him, and after a feeble effort he sank wearily back upon the pillow.

Dr. Alexander made two or three attempts to revive him, but did not succeed, and although he did not communicate his belief to the members of the family he expected the end and waited for it to occur every moment. He was unconscious all this time and had been since 6:30 o'clock in the morning, when he looked at his brother, the Senator, and his children, and addressing the former, said: "There, there, John, it's pretty hard; comfort the children." These words, so far as known, were his last.

At 1 o'clock there was a movement on the part of the dying warrior, as he lay on his camp-bed in the center of the large apartment where he has been confined since last Sunday, and a noise came from his lips as if he was trying to speak. The physician bent over him, but the noise had stopped. He said it was the mucus on the lungs, and when it was heard a few moments later the doctor said, with his head on the grand old soldier's breast: "The end is not far off."

For nearly half an hour there was no movement on the part of the dying man. About 1:45, about five minutes before the end, there was just the suggestion of a movement of the General's arm and a moan came from his lips. The sound was like that of a man attempting to speak, but changed to a low guttural noise. The physician in the room reached over and watched the patient's face closely for a moment. Then he turned to the weeping relatives clustered about the couch and said quietly: "The General is dead."

At the bedside were his son, P. T. Sherman, his daughter, Miss Sherman, Lieutenant and Mrs. Fitch, Lieutenant and Mrs. Thacker, Senator John Sherman, Dr. Alexander and General Thomas Ewing. The two daughters remained kneeling, one at each side of the bed, during the last hours of the dying warrior. No priest or clergyman was present, neither were any called. No priest has entered the house since Father Taylor called.

The General did not suffer any pain for the last two days. All night long he lay in bed with his head high, but toward morning he worked his head lower until at last he perfectly flat. Death came so quietly that those at the bedside did not realize that the General was dead until Dr. Alexander said: "All is over." Death came with one long sigh. Suffocation, due to the lungs filling with mucus, was the cause. Immediately after his death Generals Howard and Slocum, who were on General Sherman's staff, were sent for. Some two weeks ago the General made known his wishes as to his burial. He particularly requested that his body should not lie in state anywhere. He also requested that the funeral be a strictly military one. He said that he did not care particularly for any military observances here in New York, but that he did want a military burial in St. Louis, which would be participated in by his old comrades in arms. He also requested that the funeral rites be not in conformity with any particular form of religion. He wanted a soldier's burial. The body is now lying embalmed in the room where the General died—the back room on the second floor. The features are natural, with the exception of a slight swelling on the right jaw and under both eyes. The eyes are closed and the arms folded across the breast.

Less than half an hour after the news of the General's death was flashed over the country messages of condolence began to arrive. The messages were received by Private Secretary Barrett and Senator Sherman. Senator Sherman said that nearly 3,000 dispatches had been received. There was one from President Harrison and one from each of the United States Senators, from members of the Cabinet, from General Schofield and from other army officers. Other dispatches received were from Chief-Justice Fuller, Henry M. Stanley, Archbishop Kenrick, of St. Louis, Judge Gresham, General Joseph E. Johnston, Vice-President Morton, Justice Harlan, General Alger, James G. Blaine and ex-President Hayes. In addition to these there were telegrams from the foreign Ministers and heads of various State departments from all over the country and Europe.

The outward mark of respect that was shown in New York City upon the announcement of the death of General Sherman was the universal raising of

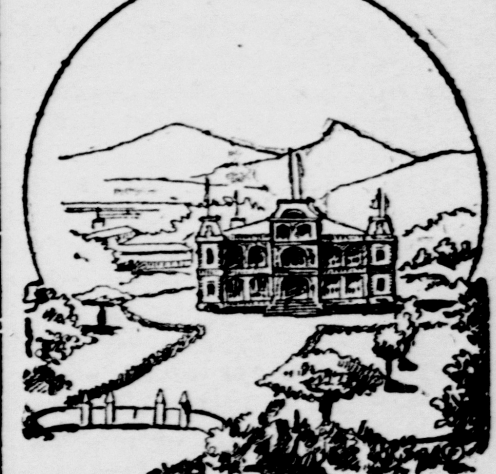
## SORROW IN HONOLULU.

the Hawaiian Islands Plunged in Woe.

### ARRIVAL OF THE DEAD KING'S BODY.

Great sorrow of the Natives Who Knew Nothing of His Death—The Last Rites Performed on Sunday—Liliuokalani Made Queen.

GRATITUDE TO AMERICA. HONOLULU, Hawaii, Feb. 7, per Steamer Alameda to San Francisco.—Workmen were busily engaged in preparations for welcoming King Kalakaua, who was expected to return from the United States improved in health, when the United States flagship Charleston was sighted early Thursday morning, January 29. Now the decorations and arches of welcome have been torn down or turned into emblems of mourning. The Charleston arrived in Honolulu harbor with the Hawaiian and American flags at half-mast. Crowds of natives and foreigners gathered at the landing to obtain the first news. The United States steamer Mohican and her Majesty's steamship Nymph flew flags at half-mast and



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crossed their yards as signs of mourning. Business houses and manufactories were closed, schools dismissed and Government offices closed.

The native women as the Charleston came to an anchor set up a loud wailing. At 5 o'clock Thursday afternoon, amid the booming of minute guns from warships in port and the batteries on shore, the King's body was landed accompanied by a guard of honor composed of sailors from the Charleston, Mohican and Nymph, headed by the Charleston's band playing a funeral dirge. A procession was formed and moved to the palace. The streets were packed with people and the air was filled with wailings and lamentations.

As the cortege entered the palace Dowager Queen Kapiolani appeared on the balcony and gave way to the most violent demonstrations of grief. Queen Regent Liliuokalani also appeared on the balcony and was also greatly moved. The cortege was placed in the middle of the throne-room. On it were placed the King's crown of state, his sword and his royal feather cloak.

That evening the Cabinet met and issued a proclamation declaring Princess Liliuokalani Queen of the Hawaiian Islands, with the title of Liliuokalani.

The body of the King lay in state in the throne-room of the Iolani palace, and the people of every class and distinction were allowed freely to gaze on the face of their dead sovereign. The body will continue to lie in state until Sunday, February 15, when a grand procession will convey the remains to the cemetery.

An immense mass-meeting was held at Kaumakapi Church, Honolulu, February 6, at which a series of resolutions were adopted expressing the gratitude of the Hawaiian people to the United States and California and to Admiral Brown and the officers of the Charleston for the "unbounded courtesy and kind attention" offered to the King both before and after his death. Copies of the resolutions will be sent to the President of the United States, the Governor of California, the mayor of San Francisco and Admiral Brown. The same evening a large meeting in the Chamber of Commerce was held and similar resolutions were adopted.

The Honolulu Weekly Bulletin says editorially: "The American Government has ever stood the friend of Hawaii, and the belief in Hawaii that America is our best and truest friend is a principle, without reference to National politics, has long since become an inseparable part of our popular creed. No matter how the National Republic is governed, we have at all times felt and expressed from the depths of their hearts the belief that our ultimate dependence for autonomy of government lay mainly within the arbitrament of the great Republic."

The Ministry appointed by the late King with the approval of the Legislature is likely to remain in office until another Legislature meets in 1892. The Cabinet under the provisions of a late law can be removed only upon a vote of want of confidence passed by a majority of all the elective members of the Legislature. Consequently the present Cabinet will not resign, but will continue in office until a new Legislature is elected or the present one is convened in special session. Although the new Queen is known to have a pronounced leaning toward the English no trouble is feared on that score. The Queen is surrounded by counselors who are well known for integrity and honesty of purpose. It is generally thought that E. W. Wilcox will be installed Chamberlain.

France Accepts. WASHINGTON, Feb. 16.—France has formally accepted the invitation of the Government of the United States to be represented at the world's fair to be held in Chicago. This is the first country to take official action.

Death of a Famous Stationer. SPRINGFIELD, Ill., Feb. 16.—The famous stationer, the property of J. B. Barnes, of this city, is dead. He was 80 years of age and was valued at \$25,000. He had colts that have a record of 2:15.

Mr. J. B. Barnes, how is your health this morning? Thank you, my dear much improved. I bought a bottle of Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup last night, and after the first dose my cough was checked, I slept well and have not coughed once this morning. Accord to what our not only in the best regulated families, but everywhere at all times. Therefore keep Bull's Cough Syrup on hand. Attention: our business sales for bargain. A. B. C. D. E. F. G. H. I. J. K. L. M. N. O. P. Q. R. S. T. U. V. W. X. Y. Z.



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## TO-DAY'S ANNIVERSARIES.

1235—The Inquisition of Don Carlos condemned the inhabitants of the Netherlands to death.  
1800—Russia concluded treaty with England.  
1812—Vice President Henry Wilson, statesman, born in Farmington, N. H., died in Washington, D. C., Nov. 22, 1873.  
1823—Li Hung Chang, prime minister of China, born in the Ann Hui province.  
1840—Henry Watterson, journalist, son of H. McQ. Watterson, born in Washington, D. C.  
1847—Charles Kean, actor, died at Havana, Cuba; born 1813.  
1853—Ferdinand, duke of Saxe-Coburg and Gotha, born in Hanover, Germany.  
1854—A. H. Fols, captured Fort Donelson, Tenn., with 15,000 prisoners.  
1859—Blancha "Silver Bill" making silver legal tender money passed by congress, voted by 153 yeas and 43 nays.  
1882—Colony expedition, Trinidad Grange, Durham, C. I. lost.  
1882—20 men killed by a land slide in a coal mine at Bradwood, Ill.

## AFTER THE PENSION SHARKS.

Secretary Noble is himself an old soldier and is properly desirous that veterans entitled to the bounty of the government should not be robbed of it by a pack of envious and greedy attorneys. Public opinion will back him in his efforts to protect pensioners from the rapacity of these pension sharks.

Besides reducing the fee allowed in pension cases the secretary has taken a step that will save pensioners thousands of dollars. He has cut off a source of information which the attorneys have hitherto found very profitable. The published pension lists have been giving the addresses of persons to whom pensions were awarded. As soon as these lists appeared the attorneys would write to each pensioner, informing him that his pension had been granted and suggesting that the fee for services rendered be remitted. The department has ordered that hereafter the addresses of pensioners be omitted from the lists furnished the press, nothing to be published but the name of the successful applicant and the state in which he resides. As the commissioner of pensions gives timely information to all persons who have been granted a pension, this new arrangement will not cause successful applicants to be held in suspense very long, while it will be of very material benefit to them personally.

The pension bureau has been the most troublesome branch of the government service to the present administration, but much needed reforms have been instituted, beneficial both to the government and the pensioners, and the latest adopted is not the least commendable of them. The old soldiers have every reason to feel that the administration is most anxious to protect their interests and secure them the full benefit of the nation's bounty.

## SHOULD RELY ON BABBITT'S BILL.

There is a yearning for further conquest among the democrats—a yearning that is voiced by the Recorder as follows:

We want a democratic congressional district for old Hick county to live in. We want a democratic senatorial district, and two or three democratic assembly districts, and then we wouldn't be asking more than the republicans have always appropriated to themselves.

The Madison Journal hears the wail with surprise. Editor Dodge remarks: "The idea of a county in a district that elects a democrat is a contradiction in terms. Clinton, Babbitt to congress asking for a democratic district? It is true, but that the district is not democratic, but that Mr. Babbitt carried it because of the democratic falsehoods, and because of the influence on Mr. Babbitt's hands resulting from making his own laws? But will the cry from old Hick still be to have a democratic district formed after Mr. Babbitt's bill fixing the price of wheat at one dollar a bushel still hob up in the house of representatives like a live thing?"

Belot Free Press: Woolen goods, which every democratic editor and democratic stump lawyer in the land declared would be so high in price as to make McKelvey fail, passed, that common folk would have to stalk naked through the land, are to-day lower in price than before the law was enacted. Even democratic editors can wear flannel underwear three days of a "robber tariff" if they won't drink too much.

Omaha papers speak truly the legislatures of Kansas and Nebraska are entitled to credit for giving a pigmy to the old formalities of session life. The official form of adjournment in Kansas is: "Boys it's time to milk." In Nebraska: "Boys, it's time to milk and then grease."

Colorado is rich in mines of every description. It has not a foot of naturally arable land. And yet its agricultural product in 1890 surpassed in value the output of all its mines. The fact represents the triumph of irrigation.

Statistics of crime show that 4,290 murders were committed in the United States last year, and only 102 of the criminals were convicted and executed.

Central America is on the verge of another war. It is to be hoped that somebody will get thoroughly and permanently whipped this time.

To Nervous, Debilitated Men.  
If you will send your address, we will mail you an illustrated pamphlet explaining all about Dr. Ely's Celebrated Electro-Voltaic Belt and appliances, and their charming effects upon the nervous system, and how they will quickly restore you to vigor and manhood. Pamphlet free. If you are thus afflicted, we will send you a Belt and Appliances on a trial.  
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For disordered liver try Beecham's pills.

## WILL LIE IN ST. LOUIS.

(Continued from last page.)

James Thomas, an employee at Mattingly's distillery in Owensboro, Ky., was torn to pieces by the machinery.

George Rouse, aged 16 years, accidentally shot and killed his brother Edward, aged 19, at Leavenworth, Kan.

S. A. June, through careless handling of Martin Frye's revolver, shot and killed the latter's wife at Kalamazoo, Mich.

Edward Rouse was fatally shot at Leavenworth, Kan., by his brother George while the latter was playing with a self-acting revolver.

In the Kansas Legislature at Topeka the House in committee of the whole recommended for passage the bill conferring on women the right to vote and hold office.

In a free fight in an Omaha (Neb.) bar-room John Connors was stabbed through the heart and Dick Cushing seriously cut, the murderer, "Joe" Dwyer, escaping.

Sheriff Woolbing, of Platt County, has received a telegram from Lowry City, Mo., announcing the capture of Noble Kane, the murderer of John Gabbard, of Atwood, Platt County.

At the request of Attorney-General Miller Judge Hoge, of West Virginia, the United States District Attorney for the District of Columbia, has tendered his resignation to the President.

At Leavenworth, Kan., the police have arrested Tim Fitzgerald, George Newson, Tim Bryn, Charles Bryn, Ed Marsh and L. Maloney. They had planned to rob the First National Bank of that city.

Superintendent Hopkins, of the Chicago & Northwestern railroad, has paid on behalf of his company \$3,500 to the mother of Conductor James R. O'Neil, who was murdered by a tramp at Longpoint, Ia., while on duty.

Dispatches received from Buenos Ayres in regard to the revolution in Chili announce that an important engagement has taken place in Tarapaca between the rebels and the Government forces, and that the latter were completely defeated.

## HARRISON'S CALIFORNIA TRIP.

He Will Spend a Month Visiting the State at Senator Stanford's Expense.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 16.—President Harrison contemplates with great satisfaction his forthcoming tour to the Pacific coast States. The trip will occupy thirty days. The Presidential party will consist of President and Mrs. Harrison, Mr. and Mrs. Russell Harrison, Mr. and Mrs. McKee, Secretary and Mrs. Halford, Mrs. Dimmick, Secretaries Tracy and Proctor, and possibly one or two other invited guests. It is understood that all the expenses of the trip will be borne by Senator Stanford. The party will leave Washington about the 1st of May in a special train. It is the intention to make the trip by a Southern route, laying over one day at New Orleans and another at San Diego en route. They will spend a week at San Francisco, including a brief visit to Palo Alto, Senator Stanford's country home, and Monterey.

## USELESS WIRES.

Telegraphic Service for Miles Around Cincinnati Paralyzed by a Storm.

CINCINNATI, Feb. 16.—Last night for the second time this winter a remarkably sudden paralysis of electric communication prevailed throughout the greater portion of the United States. The first symptoms were noticed yesterday afternoon, when the increasing moisture in the atmosphere began to clog the telegraph and telephone wires in all directions. At 10 p. m. the trouble became inexplicably magnified, and for hundreds of miles in a great circle, with this city for a center, the wires on every route hung as limp and useless almost as so many clothes-lines. Up to 2 a. m. the situation showed little if any improvement.

## FLAMES IN A POST-OFFICE.

Newspaper Burned to Death at New York—Mail Matter A Saved.

NEW YORK, Feb. 16.—The New York post-office was on fire for nearly two hours Saturday night. Much of the north end of the basement story, used for the distribution of newspapers, was destroyed, with the electric light plant of the office. So sudden was the outbreak of the flames that a little newspaper, Giuseppe Michaeli, who had crawled for warmth into a ventilator on the Mail street side, was caught in the swift approach and fatally burned before he could extricate himself. No mail matter was burned, though some was injured by water.

## Given Up for Lost.

New York, Feb. 16.—Captain L. Norton, in which the captain with his wife, niece and seven men left New London for Toulon, France, November 23, has now been on eighty-two days. No reliable information concerning the boat has been received since the day it left port. In spite of the captain's confidence in his boat it is feared it has shared the fate of many a larger vessel.

## Tired of Prohibition.

BIRMINGHAM, N. D., Feb. 16.—Resubmission has been carried in both branches of the Legislature in the Senate on Saturday was 16 to 15. Every inch of the ground was stubbornly contested. The question goes to the next Legislature, two years hence, and if passed at that session will be submitted to the voters at a special election within sixty days. A great many saloons all over the State have been reopened.

## Will Be Draped for Thirty Days.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 16.—Secretary Noble has issued an order announcing the death of ex-Secretary Stuart and directing the department to be draped in mourning for thirty days and closed at noon the day of his funeral.

## Millions Disposed Of.

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## CURRENT EVENTS.

(Continued from last page.)

James Thomas, an employee at Mattingly's distillery in Owensboro, Ky., was torn to pieces by the machinery.

George Rouse, aged 16 years, accidentally shot and killed his brother Edward, aged 19, at Leavenworth, Kan.

S. A. June, through careless handling of Martin Frye's revolver, shot and killed the latter's wife at Kalamazoo, Mich.

Edward Rouse was fatally shot at Leavenworth, Kan., by his brother George while the latter was playing with a self-acting revolver.

In the Kansas Legislature at Topeka the House in committee of the whole recommended for passage the bill conferring on women the right to vote and hold office.

In a free fight in an Omaha (Neb.) bar-room John Connors was stabbed through the heart and Dick Cushing seriously cut, the murderer, "Joe" Dwyer, escaping.

Sheriff Woolbing, of Platt County, has received a telegram from Lowry City, Mo., announcing the capture of Noble Kane, the murderer of John Gabbard, of Atwood, Platt County.

At the request of Attorney-General Miller Judge Hoge, of West Virginia, the United States District Attorney for the District of Columbia, has tendered his resignation to the President.

At Leavenworth, Kan., the police have arrested Tim Fitzgerald, George Newson, Tim Bryn, Charles Bryn, Ed Marsh and L. Maloney. They had planned to rob the First National Bank of that city.

Superintendent Hopkins, of the Chicago & Northwestern railroad, has paid on behalf of his company \$3,500 to the mother of Conductor James R. O'Neil, who was murdered by a tramp at Longpoint, Ia., while on duty.

Dispatches received from Buenos Ayres in regard to the revolution in Chili announce that an important engagement has taken place in Tarapaca between the rebels and the Government forces, and that the latter were completely defeated.

## HARRISON'S CALIFORNIA TRIP.

He Will Spend a Month Visiting the State at Senator Stanford's Expense.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 16.—President Harrison contemplates with great satisfaction his forthcoming tour to the Pacific coast States. The trip will occupy thirty days. The Presidential party will consist of President and Mrs. Harrison, Mr. and Mrs. Russell Harrison, Mr. and Mrs. McKee, Secretary and Mrs. Halford, Mrs. Dimmick, Secretaries Tracy and Proctor, and possibly one or two other invited guests. It is understood that all the expenses of the trip will be borne by Senator Stanford. The party will leave Washington about the 1st of May in a special train. It is the intention to make the trip by a Southern route, laying over one day at New Orleans and another at San Diego en route. They will spend a week at San Francisco, including a brief visit to Palo Alto, Senator Stanford's country home, and Monterey.

## USELESS WIRES.

Telegraphic Service for Miles Around Cincinnati Paralyzed by a Storm.

CINCINNATI, Feb. 16.—Last night for the second time this winter a remarkably sudden paralysis of electric communication prevailed throughout the greater portion of the United States. The first symptoms were noticed yesterday afternoon, when the increasing moisture in the atmosphere began to clog the telegraph and telephone wires in all directions. At 10 p. m. the trouble became inexplicably magnified, and for hundreds of miles in a great circle, with this city for a center, the wires on every route hung as limp and useless almost as so many clothes-lines. Up to 2 a. m. the situation showed little if any improvement.

## FLAMES IN A POST-OFFICE.

Newspaper Burned to Death at New York—Mail Matter A Saved.

NEW YORK, Feb. 16.—The New York post-office was on fire for nearly two hours Saturday night. Much of the north end of the basement story, used for the distribution of newspapers, was destroyed, with the electric light plant of the office. So sudden was the outbreak of the flames that a little newspaper, Giuseppe Michaeli, who had crawled for warmth into a ventilator on the Mail street side, was caught in the swift approach and fatally burned before he could extricate himself. No mail matter was burned, though some was injured by water.

## Given Up for Lost.

New York, Feb. 16.—Captain L. Norton, in which the captain with his wife, niece and seven men left New London for Toulon, France, November 23, has now been on eighty-two days. No reliable information concerning the boat has been received since the day it left port. In spite of the captain's confidence in his boat it is feared it has shared the fate of many a larger vessel.

## Tired of Prohibition.

BIRMINGHAM, N. D., Feb. 16.—Resubmission has been carried in both branches of the Legislature in the Senate on Saturday was 16 to 15. Every inch of the ground was stubbornly contested. The question goes to the next Legislature, two years hence, and if passed at that session will be submitted to the voters at a special election within sixty days. A great many saloons all over the State have been reopened.

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## CONGRESS.

The Senate voted Against the Amendments to the Copyright Bill—Work in the House.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 16.—The copyright bill was reported from the committee of the whole to the Senate Saturday. The committee amendments were voted on in bulk and were disagreed to—yeas, 29; nays, 81. The conference report on the army appropriation bill was agreed to. The credentials of William F. Vilas as Senator-elect from Wisconsin for the term commencing March 4 next were presented and filed. Senator Call (Ia.) offered and read on conference to the committee on foreign relations a resolution declaring that the Senate had heard with great concern the newspaper statements in relation to the alleged persecution of the Jews in Russia and also in relation to the cruel treatment of State prisoners in Siberia and other places of imprisonment in the dominion of the czar, and requesting the committee to appeal, on the ground of humanity, to the Emperor of Russia to take measures to inquire into such alleged wrongs and cruelties to the subjects of Russia and to place them in a condition of freedom and equal rights.

In the House a number of resolutions were passed. A bill was passed for a bridge across the St. Louis river between Minnesota and Wisconsin. The House then went into committee of the whole on the Indian appropriation bill. Without disposing of the bill the committee rose. The naval appropriation bill was sent to conference. The Speaker having laid before the House the message from the President announcing the death of General Sherman, it was referred to the committee on military affairs. Resolutions of regret at the death of Admiral Porter were adopted, and the Speaker appointed a committee of seven to arrange for appropriate action in regard to the obsequies. As an additional mark of respect the House adjourned.

## ILLINOIS-IOWA LEAGUE.

The Base-Ball Association Organized with James Steel as President.

JOLIET, Ill., Feb. 16.—The Illinois-Iowa Base-Ball League officials met in Joliet Saturday and the result of its deliberations is a stronger and better league than that of 1890. There will be eight cities represented in the league—Joliet, Cedar Rapids, Davenport, Ottumwa, Monmouth, Ottumwa and Rockford, with three large cities contending for eighth place. The league was organized on the same basis as last year, without Sunday playing, and the salary limit was raised from \$500 to \$750. The two cities contending most vigorously for eighth place are Quincy and Aurora. The officers elected were: President, Sanger Steel, Joliet; First Vice-President, J. A. Plumb, Cedar Rapids; Second Vice-President, W. T. Muse, Ottumwa; Secretary, E. C. Morgan, Galesburg; Treasurer, F. W. Harding, Monmouth. The directors will be elected from Davenport, Aurora, Ottumwa and Ottumwa, with President Steel as ex-officio chairman.

## AFTER MICHIGAN MINES.

Legislators Think They Are Not Paying Their Share of the Taxes.

LANSING, Mich., Feb. 16.—Senator Doran is preparing a bill to be introduced designed to reach the wealthy mining companies which have been exempted from State taxation. The present law exempts 640 acres of land and all improvements thereon for each mining corporation and imposes a specific tax of one cent per ton on iron ore and seventy cents per ton on copper ore. The bill would increase the tax on copper ore to one cent per ton and on iron ore to fifty cents per ton. The bill will voice a general sentiment in favor of a radical reform which will put a fair proportion of Michigan's expenses on the mining companies. The details of the bill are not fully settled, but the exemption clause will be repealed and the specific taxes largely increased.

## HEAVY LOSS BY FIRE IN JAPAN.

Government Buildings Value at \$250,000 in Ruins.

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 16.—Advices from Hongkong and Yokohama, are to the effect that the night of January 19 fire broke out in the center of the two houses of the Japanese Diet, and after destroying the House of Representatives spread to the House of Peers, which also burnt to the ground. It was rumored the fire was incendiary, but it is said to have originated from the electric lights with which the houses are furnished. The cost of the two buildings was \$257,000. Three firemen were badly injured.

## Illinois Law-Makers.

SPRINGFIELD, Ill., Feb. 16.—In the Senate Mr. Caldwell introduced a resolution requesting all stock yards to make a report to the Committee on Agriculture and Drainage of the charges for yarding each kind of stock and the prices charged for hay and grain during the year 1890. In the House Representative Geher sent a petition from the Woman's Relief Corps of Peoria requesting the passage of the Relief bill. Both houses adjourned until Monday.

## No Doubt of Ray Hamilton's Death.

BLACKFOT, I. T., Feb. 16.—The New York Herald correspondent who went to Mary Mere ranch, on Jackson's Lake, Wyo., to gather evidence concerning the reported death of Robert Ray Hamilton has returned, having secured a number of affidavits of Hamilton's employees which leave no doubt as to his identity.

## A French Wine Merchant's Collapse.

NEW YORK, Feb. 16.—A dispatch received in Wall street from Paris, reports that one of the largest wine merchants of Bercy Entrepote, has failed, with liabilities of \$1,000,000. It is stated that the merchant tried to make a fraudulent bankruptcy, and has been arrested at the instance of his creditors.

## Dr. B. Minor.

The eye specialist, who is at the Myers House one day only, Friday March 27, Defective vision from congenital or acquired cause, successfully remedied when in the skill of the optician to remedy. Dr. Minor has devoted his life to this work, and invites those who have had trouble in having the eyes fixed, or all in need of glasses, to investigate his method of adapting glasses to the human eye. Call and see him. Consultation and examination free. Respectfully, Dr. B. Minor.

## Horary sale this week at Archi Bold's.

Where Baby was sick, we give you Castoria.

When she was a Child, she cried for Castoria.

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## A GENUINE CLOSING OUT SALE!

The first day of April I shall remove to Minneapolis to assume the management of Browning, King & Co's. branch store. Previous to that date I have \$25,000 worth of CLOTHING and Gents' Furnishing Goods to close out. On Monday, Feb. 9th, I will commence to sell this stock of goods at cost. This is the best opportunity that the people of Janesville and Rock county have ever had to buy Clothing at a bargain. The stock is too extensive to list, but it includes everything in the store, nothing reserved.

**T. J. ZEICLER.**  
Smiths Block, Janesville, Wis.





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SEVERE ARRAIGNMENT.

THE SECRET CRIMES AND SINS OF SUPPOSEDLY GOOD PEOPLE.

Dr. Talmage Delivers a Practical Sermon on the Necessity of Reform Among Those Who Profess to Do Right—Fraud, Adulteration and "Corners."

BROOKLYN, Feb. 15.—Great audiences again assembled at the service by Dr. Talmage in the Brooklyn Academy of Music this morning, and also at the Christian Herald service in the evening. The remarkable interest in the latter continues without evidence of abatement. At the service in New York last Sunday evening there were many emotional episodes among the vast audience, and to-night these were repeated, hundreds pleading themselves anew to Christian lives henceforth. Dr. Talmage took for his text at the Brooklyn Academy, "Faith without works is dead" (James ii, 20).

The Roman Catholic church has been charged with putting too much stress upon good works, and not enough upon faith. I charge Protestantism with putting not enough stress upon good works as connected with salvation. Good works will never save a man, but if a man have not good works he has no real faith and no genuine religion. There are those who depend upon the fact that they are all right inside, while their conduct is wrong outside. Their religion, for the most part, is made up of talk—vigorous talk, earnest talk, beautiful talk, but it will not carry them by the hour in telling you how good they are. They come up to such a higher life that they have no patience with ordinary Christians in the plain discharge of their duties.

As near as I can tell, this ocean craft is mostly salt and very little tonnage. Foretopmast stay, foretopmast studdingsail, maintopmast, mizzenmast—all everything from flying jib to mizzen spanker, but making no useful voyage. Now, the world has got tired of this, and it wants a religion that will work into all the circumstances of life. We do not want a new religion, but the old religion applied in all possible directions.

Yonder is a river with steep and rocky banks, and it roars like a young Niagara as it rolls on over its rough bed. It does nothing but talk about itself all the way from its source in the mountain to the place where it empties into the sea. The banks are so steep the cattle cannot come down to drink. It does not run one fertilizing rill into the adjoining field. It has not one grist mill or factory on either side. It sulks in wet weather with chilling fogs. No one cares when that river is born among the rocks, and no one cares when it dies into the sea.

But yonder is the other river, and it mosses its banks with the warm tides, and it rocks with floral bulrushes, the water lilies asleep on its bosom. It is vinesherds of cattle, and flocks of sheep, and coverts of birds to come there and drink. It has three grist mills on one side and six cotton factories on the other. It is the wealth of two hundred miles of luxuriant farms. The birds of heaven chanted when it was born in the mountains, and the ocean shipping will press in from the sea to hail it as it comes down to the Atlantic coast. The one river is a man who lives for himself, the other river is a man who lives for others.

PLEASED LEGEND OF JERUSALEM.

Do you know how the site of the ancient city of Jerusalem was chosen? There were two brothers who had adjoining farms. The one brother had a large family, the other had no family. The brother with the large family said, "There is my brother with no family; he must be lonely, and I will try to cheer him up, and I will take some of the sheaves from my field in the night time and set them over on his farm and say nothing about it." The other brother said, "My brother has a large family, and it is very difficult for him to support them, and I will help him along, and I will take some of the sheaves from my farm in the night time and set them over on his farm and say nothing about it."

So the work of transference went on night after night, and night after night; but every morning things seemed to be just as they were. The sheaves had been abstracted from each farm, but the brothers were perplexed and could not understand. But one night the brothers happened to meet while making this generous transference, and the spot where they met was so sacred that it was chosen as the site of the city of Jerusalem. If that tradition should prove unfounded it will nevertheless stand as a beautiful allegory setting forth the idea that wherever a kindly and generous and loving act is performed that is the spot fit for some temple of commemoration.

I have often spoken to you about faith, but I speak to you about works, for "faith without works is dead." I think you will agree with me in the statement that the great want of this world is more practical religion. We want practical religion to go into all merchandise. It will supervise the labeling of goods. It will not allow a man to say that a thing was made in one factory when it was made in another. It will not allow the merchant to say that watch was manufactured in Geneva, Switzerland, when it was manufactured in Massachusetts. It will not allow the merchant to say that wine came from Madeira when it came from California. Practical religion will walk along by the store shelves and tear off all the tags that make misrepresentation. It will not allow the merchant to say that is pure coffee when dandelion root and chicory and other ingredients go into it. It will not allow him to say that is pure sugar when there are in it sand and ground glass.

PRACTICAL RELIGION AND SHAMS. When practical religion gets its full swing in the world it will down the shams, and it will come to that shoe store and rip off the fictitious soles of many a fine looking pair of shoes, and show that it is pastboard sandwiched between the sound leather. And this practical religion will go right into a grocery store, and it will pull out the plug of all the adulterated sirups, and it will dump into the ash barrel, in front of the store, the cassia bark that is sold for cinnamon, and the brick dust that is sold for cayenne pepper; and it will shake out the Prussian blue from the tea leaves, and it will wash from the flour plaster of Paris and bones and sandstone, and it will surround the

analysis separate the one quart of Ridgewood water from the few honest drops of cow's milk, and it will throw out the live animalcules from the brown sugar.

There has been so much adulteration of articles of food that it is an amazement to me that there is a healthy man or woman in America. Heaven only knows what they put into the spices, and into the sugars, and into the butter, and into the apothecary drug! But chemical analysis and the microscope have made wonderful revelations. The board of health in Massachusetts analyzed a great amount of what was called pure coffee, and found in it not one particle of coffee. In England there is a law that forbids the putting of alum in bread. The public authorities examined fifty-one packages of bread and found them all guilty. The honest physician, writing a prescription, does not know but that it may bring death instead of health to his patient, because there may be one of the drugs weakened by a cheaper article, and another drug may be in full force, and so the prescription may have just the opposite effect intended. Oil of wormwood, warranted pure, from Boston was found to have 99 per cent. of resin and alcohol and chloroform.

Scammony is one of the most valuable medical drugs. It is very rare, very precious. It is the sap or the gum of a tree or a bush in Syria. The root of the tree is exposed, an incision is made into the root and then shells are placed at this incision to catch the sap or the gum as it exudes. It is very precious, this scammony. But the peasant mixes it with cheaper material; then it is taken to Aleppo, and the merchant there mixes it with a cheaper material; then it comes on to such a wholesale druggist in London or New York, and he mixes it with a cheaper material, and he mixes it with a cheaper material, and by the time the poor sick man gets it into his bottle it is ashes and chalk and sand, and some of what has been called pure scammony after analysis has been found to be no scammony at all.

THE HYPOCRISY OF THE PRAYER. Now, practical religion will yet rectify all this. It will go to those hypocritical professors of religion who get a "corner" in corn and wheat in Chicago and New York, sending prices up and until they were beyond the reach of the poor, keeping these breadstuffs in their own hands or controlling them until, the price going up and up and up, they were after a while ready to sell, and they sold out, making themselves millionaires in one or two years, trying to fix the matter up with the Lord by building a church, or a university, or a hospital, deluding themselves with the idea that the Lord would be so pleased with the gift he would forget the swindle.

Now, as such a man may not have any liturgy in which to say his prayers, I will compose for him one which he practically is making: "O Lord, we, by getting a 'corner' in breadstuffs, swindled the people of the United States out of ten million dollars, and made ourselves millionaires in one or two years, and we would like to compromise this matter with thee. Thou knowest it was a swindle, but then it was smart. Now, here we compromise it. Take 1 per cent. of the profits, and with that 1 per cent. you can build an asylum for these poor, miserable ragged muffs of the street, and I will take a yacht and go to Europe forever and ever. Amen."

Ah, my friends, if a man lieth against his estate wrongfully, and he build a line of hospitals and universities for him to Alaska he cannot atone for it. After a while this man who has been getting a "corner" in wheat, dies, and he goes to his "home" on him. His estate gets a "corner" on him. He goes into a great, long Black Friday. There is a "break" in the market. According to Wall street parlance, he wiped others out, and now he is himself wiped out. No collateral, he himself to make a spiritual loan. Eternal damnation!

THE SWINDLING MECHANIC. But this practical religion will not only rectify all merchandise; it will also rectify all mechanism and all toil. A time will come when a man will work as faithfully by the job as he does by the day. You say when a thing is slightly done, "Oh, that was done by the job." You can tell by the shams, or shams with which a hackman drives whether he is hired by the hour or by the excursion. If he is hired by the excursion he whips up the horses so as to get around and get another customer. All styles of work have to be inspected. Ship inspected, horse inspected, machinery inspected, Boss to watch the journeyman. Capitalist coming down unexpectedly to watch the boss. Conductor of a city car sounding the punch bell to prove his honesty as a passenger hands to him a clipped nickel.

All things must be watched and inspected. Imperfections in the wood covered with putty. Garments warranted to last until you put them on the third time. Shoddy in all kinds of clothing, chromes, pinchebois, diamonds for a dollar and a half. Bookbinding that holds on until you read the third chapter. Spavined horses, by skillful doctors of jockeys, for several days made to look spry. Wagon runs poorly put to look spry. Horses poorly shod. Plastering that cracks without any provocation and falls off. Plumbing that needs to be plumbed. Imperfect car wheel that halts the whole train with a hot box. So little practical religion in the mechanism of the world. I tell you, my friends, the law of man will never rectify these things. It will be the all pervading influence of the practical religion of Jesus Christ that will make the change for the better.

Yes, this practical religion will also go into agriculture, which is proverbially honest, but needs to be rectified, and it will keep the farmer from sending to the New York market real that is too young to kill; and when the farmer farms on shares it will keep the farmer from building his post and rail fence on his neighbor's premises, and it will make him shelter his cattle in the winter storm, and it will keep the old elder from working on Sunday afternoon in the new ground where no body sees him. And this practical religion will hover over the house, and over the barn, and over the field, and over the orchard.

TRICKY LAWYERS AND DOCTORS. Yes, this practical religion of which I speak will come into the learned professions. The lawyer will feel his responsibility in defending innocent and sentencing evil, and surrounding the law, and it will keep him from charging for briefs he never wrote, and for pleas he never made, and for percentages he never earned, and from robbing widow and orphan because they are defenseless. Yes, this practical religion will come into the physician's life, and he will feel his responsibility as the conservator of the public health, a professional honor by the fact that Christ himself was a physician. And it will make him honest, and when he does not understand a case he will say so, not trying to cover up lack of diagnosis with ponderous technicalities or send the patient to a reckless drug store because the apothecary happens to pay a percentage on the prescriptions sent.

And this practical religion will come to the school teacher, making her feel her responsibility in preparing our youth for usefulness, and for happiness, and for honor, and will keep her from giving a sly box to a dull head, chastising him for what he cannot help, and sending discouragement all through the after years of a lifetime. This practical religion will also come to the newspaper man, and it will help them in the gathering of the news, and it will help them in setting forth the best interests of society, and it will keep them from putting the sins of the world in larger type than its virtues, and its mistakes than its achievements.

Yes, this religion, this practical religion, will come and put its hand on what is called good society, elevated society, successful society, so that people will have their expenditures within their income, and they will exchange the hypocritical "not at home" for the honest explanation "too tired" or "too busy to see you," and will keep innocent reception from becoming intoxicated conviviality.

Yes, there is great opportunity for missionary work in what are called the successful classes of society. It is no rare thing now to see a fashionable woman intoxicated in the street, or the rail car, or the restaurant. The number of the ladies who drink too much is increasing. Perhaps you may find her at the reception in most exalted company, but she has made too many visits to the wine room, and now her eye is glassy, and after awhile her cheek is unnaturally flushed, and then she falls into fits of execrable laughter about nothing, and then she offers sickening flatteries, telling some homely man how well he looks, and then she is helped into the carriage, and by the time the carriage gets to her home it takes the husband and the coachman a good deal of time to get her up the stairs. The report is, she was suddenly and fatally ill.

Ah! no. She took too much champagne, and mixed liquors, and got drunk. That was all. Yes, this practical religion will have to come in and rectify the regulations in America. There are members of churches who have too many wives and too many husbands. Society needs to be purged and washed and fumigated and Christianized. We have missionary societies to reform Elm street, in New York, and Bedford street, Philadelphia, and Shorefield, London, and the Brooklyn docks; but there is need of an organization to reform much that is going on in Beacon street and Madison square and Rittenhouse square and West End and Brooklyn Heights and Brooklyn Hill.

We want this practical religion not only to take hold of the street, and of the lower classes, but to take hold of what are called the higher classes. The trouble is that people have an idea they can do all their religion on Sunday with hymn book and prayer book and liturgy, and some of them sit in church rolling up and down, and they are ready for translation, when their Sabbath is bonded on all sides by an inconsistent life; and while you are expecting to come out from under their arms the wings of an angel there come out from their forehead the horns of a beast.

There has got to be a new departure in religion. I do not say a new religion. Oh, no! but the old religion brought to new appliances. In our time we have had the daguerotype, and the ambrotype, and the photograph; but it is the same old sun, and these arts are only new appliances of the old sunlight. So this glorious gospel is just what we want to photograph the images of God, and to make daguerotypes on another soul. Not a new gospel, but the old gospel put to new work.

In our time we have had the telegraphic invention, and the telephonic invention, and the electric light invention, but they are all the children of old electricity, an element that the philosophers have a long while known much about. So this electric gospel needs to flash its light on the eyes and ears and souls of men, and become a telephonic medium to make the deaf hear, a telephonic medium to dart invitation and warning to all nations, an electric light to illumine the eastern and western hemispheres. Not a new gospel, but the old gospel doing a new work.

CHRISTIANITY ALWAYS PRACTICAL. Now you say, "That is a very beautiful theory, but it is possible to take one's religion into all avocations and all business of life." Yes, and I will give you some specimens. Medical doctors who took their religion into everyday life: Dr. John Abernethy, of Aberdeen, the greatest Scottish physician of his day, his book on "Diseases of the Brain and Spinal Cord" no more wonderful than his book on "The Philosophy of the Moral Feelings," and often kneeling at the bedside of his patients to commend them to God in prayer. Dr. John Brown, of Edinburgh, immortal as an author, dying under the benediction of the sick of Edinburgh; myself remembering him as he sat in his study in Edinburgh talking to me about Christ and his hope of heaven. And a score of Christian family physicians in Brooklyn just as good as they were.

Lawyers who carried their religion into their profession: The late Lord Cairns, the queen's adviser for many years, the highest legal authority in Great Britain—Lord Cairns, every summer in his vacation, preaching as an evangelist among the poor of his country. John McLean, judge of the supreme court of the United States and president of the American Sunday School union, feeling more satisfaction in the latter office than in the former. And scores of Christian lawyers as eminent in the church of God as they are eminent at the bar.

Merchants who took their religion into everyday life: Arthur Tappan, added to his day because he established that system by which we come to find out the commercial standing of business men, starting that entire system, derived for it, then, himself, as I knew him well, in moral character. Al. Monday mornings inviting to a room in the top of his storehouse the clerks of his establishment, asking them about their worldly interests and their spiritual interests, then giving out a hymn, leading in prayer, giving them a few words of good advice, asking them what church they attended on the Sabbath, what the text was, whether they had any special troubles of their own. Arthur Tappan. I never heard his eulogy pronounced. I pronounce it now. And other merchants just as good as William E. Dodge in the iron business, Moses H. Grinnell in the shipping business, Peter Cooper in the glue business. Scores of men just as good as they were.

Farmers who take their religion into their occupation: Why this minute their horses and wagons stand around all the meeting houses in America. They began this day by a prayer to God, and when they got home at noon, after they have put their horses up, will offer a prayer to God at the table, seeking a blessing, and this summer there will be in their fields not one dishonest ear of corn, not one dishonest apple, not one dishonest potato, not one dishonest bushel of wheat, not one dishonest bushel of corn, not one dishonest bushel of oats, not one dishonest bushel of barley, not one dishonest bushel of rye, not one dishonest bushel of flax, not one dishonest bushel of hemp, not one dishonest bushel of cotton, not one dishonest bushel of wool, not one dishonest bushel of sugar, not one dishonest bushel of molasses, not one dishonest bushel of honey, not one dishonest bushel of butter, not one dishonest bushel of cheese, not one dishonest bushel of milk, not one dishonest bushel of cream, not one dishonest bushel of eggs, not one dishonest bushel of poultry, not one dishonest bushel of game, not one dishonest bushel of fish, not 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## LOCAL CHURCH TALK.

Rev. Dr. Hodge to Go to Florida for a Time.

## HIS HEALTH IS IMPAIRED.

Six New Members at the First M. E. Church. Evening Meetings to be Held During the Week at Court Street Church. Evansville Church Reopened.

The services at the Baptist church on Sunday morning were particularly impressive. The baptism of five young people coupled with the announcement of Miss Elizabeth Webster, one of the well known and honored workers of the church, lay at the point of death, naturally gave the service a touch of the pathetic. But with these incidents came also the notice that Dr. Hodge, the venerable pastor, who has been for the purpose of improving his impaired health. His morning sermon, with the deepest feeling which it has a marked effect upon the large audience. He was not able to preach in the evening, and a large number of the Baptists joined in the worship at other churches.

For some time past Dr. Hodge has been admonished that he must seek a warmer and drier climate, and his intention is to go to Florida. For many years the doctor has found it difficult to find a climate adapted to the necessities of his case. He was six years and a half pastor of the Hanson Place church in Brooklyn, New York, but was forced to come west, and for two years was at Beaver Dam in this state. He then returned to the east and became secretary of the New England home missionary society of the Baptist church. His failing health made it necessary for him to again come west, and in 1865 he became pastor of the Baptist church in Janesville where he remained seven years. He spent the winter of '72 in New York City, and in the spring accepted the pastorate of the Kalamazoo Baptist church, and six years later he was advised to go to Milwaukee where he became pastor of the First Baptist church. He went to Georgia in the fall of 1880 for the benefit of his health, and the next year settled as pastor of the First Baptist church of Janesville where he has since remained.

The doctor again yields to the necessity of making another trip south, hoping thereby to receive substantial benefit. This community will most sincerely wish that he may see a full realization of his hopes, and he also will carry with him the earnest prayers of all Christian people of this city regardless of denominational ties for his improved health and safe return.

Mrs. Hodge will accompany the doctor on his visit to De Funtak Springs, Florida. They will depart on Wednesday and will prolong their visit into May. In the mean time the Baptist pulpit will be regularly supplied.

Lists comers were turned away from Court Street church last evening unable to gain admission. The special meetings which were begun by the pastor Saturday evening will continue through the week.

Six by letter and seven by probation numbers the accessions of the First church, Janesville. The finances of the church are in a prosperous condition, and there is talk of church improvements, which promises to develop soon into something more tangible than talk.

Evansville Methodists re-opened their church Sunday morning. The church has been enlarged and transformed by the addition of new windows, carpets, paper, pews and pulpit platform. The Rev. A. I. Benjamin, of Whitewater, will preach morning and evening. Rev. J. Coleman, H. Sewell and E. D. Farnham took part in the morning service. Rev. John Schofield, R. N. Martin and W. McFarlane in the evening.

Rev. Mr. Elliott, of All Saints church, preached yesterday on "Revivalism, Good and Bad." He argued that revivals at which converts were won by exciting their sensibilities of fear of eternal punishment should be condemned. Men and women should be induced to lead a higher and nobler life, by other influences.

Rev. B. Fay Miller, who is to conduct union evangelistic services in this city in June, draws crowded houses and has large success wherever he goes. A Chicago correspondent speaks as follows regarding his work in Evanston: "The one topic of conversation in Evanston this week, as last, is the Mills meetings. That university town has never been so moved before. Every service was crowded. The number of conversions will go up into the hundreds, and if these young converts are carefully watched and trained, the character of the city of Evanston will be greatly changed. There must be something very striking about religious gatherings when business men stop one another on the streets of Chicago to talk about the wonderful manifestations of divine grace which they have seen. The results have been similar in three places near Chicago, Evanston, Oak Park and Elgin."

## FAIR AND COLDER.

So Say the Weather Men When Asked About To-morrow.

Forecast for Janesville and vicinity—Fair and colder.

The temperature as observed by E. B. Holmstrom during the last twenty-four hours was as follows:

At 7 a. m. . . . . 30 Maximum . . . . . 32  
At 1 p. m. . . . . 31 Minimum . . . . . 29

## TO-NIGHT'S PROGRAMME.

The Royal Adelphi, at the city clerk's office.

Republican club and ward committee at Myers house parlors, 7300 Oak.

Washington Camp No. 1, Patriotic Order Sons of America, at Liberty hall.

History Club meeting—subject, "Wyandott and the Dawn of the Reformation."

Badger Council No. 223, Royal Arcanum, at lodge room in Court Street.

M. E. church block.

Splendid valentines at Sutherland's bookstore.

## PAID \$125 FOR ONE BALL.

Special Train Hired by Two Merry-makers.

The fastest time ever made on the Wisconsin division of the Chicago & North-western road was made Wednesday evening by a special train which took two Chicago sporting men to the "Fashion" ball at Milwaukee.

The two sports wanted to get to Milwaukee and didn't care how much it cost them. A special, consisting of an engine and coach cost \$125, but money was no object. The distance was eighty-five miles and the run was made in one hour and forty-five minutes, but when the two passengers reached Milwaukee they had to be put to bed without seeing the ball. They were simply too full for utterance or anything else.

## BIG RUSH FOR CUPIDS.

Valentines In Greater Demand Than Ever Before.

"We never had such a trade in valentines as we have had this year," said H. W. King, on Saturday evening. "In the first place we ordered several gross more than usual and then duplicated our order, and we have sold nearly all. We will carry over a much smaller lot than ever before. The sales have been the largest in the finer grades of valentines, the cheap combs being sought mostly by the small boys and girls. If the trade in valentines continues to increase as it has the past three or four years, it will be difficult to predict what it will amount to a few years hence."

## HIS PROFIT \$100 AN ACRE.

N. C. Fossum Sells Six and a Half Acres of Land for \$1,000.

N. C. Fossum, who lives west of Beloit has sold his tobacco crop to P. H. O'Brien at terms that may well make him smile. For least raised on six and one-half acres of land he took home one thousand dollars, or 12 cents a pound. As Mr. Fossum's tobacco crop has cost him no more than others, he has cleared a profit of \$100 per acre on his tobacco this year. It is needless to state that no complaint has been heard from Mr. Fossum over the action of the McKinley law.

## BLOW FINED \$50.

Fire Alarms Prove Expensive, for Friday Night's Ringers.

William Blaw pleaded guilty in the municipal court this morning to the charge of pulling a fire alarm box, and Judge Patterson imposed a fine of fifty dollars and costs. Blaw paid part of the fine and agreed to settle the balance.

## BRIEF LOCAL MENTION.

Did you pay your Building Association dues.

Five hundred styles baby caps and hats at the Leader.

The roofing timbers are being put in place on the Jeffries block.

C. O. Green and Will Hendley, of Beloit, spent Sunday in Janesville.

Mr. and Mrs. Silas Hayner spent Sunday among friends in Chicago.

C. O. Russell and Frank Jackson returned to Madison on the vestibule last evening.

Kid gloves, ribbons and corsets at the Leader.

Frank Coulton, of Milton, out the end of his finger off while building a chicken coop yesterday.

Marshall Ahosken captured a brace of Saturday night drunks. They were allowed to remain in jail over Sunday.

Mr. Russell Cheney, who has been visiting friends in this city for some time past, has returned to his home in Portage.

Children's and misses' hosiery at the Leader.

Milwaukee avenue is being improved by the erection of handsome residences, making it one of the handsomest streets in the city.

New spring rubbings—the latest—at the Leader.

Important matters will come before the meeting of the Royal Adelphi this evening, and it is hoped that every member will be present.

H. D. McKinney has sold for a good round sum to Indiana parties his handsome and fashionably-bred horse, King Phalaris, son of Phalaris.

East Milwaukee street was the scene of a little one horse runaway on Sunday afternoon, the principal damage being a partial wreck of a buggy.

New spring Hamburgs at the Leader.

New lace at the Leader.

Secretary Barnham will be at the Rock county National bank until 9 o'clock this evening to receive Building Association payments.

Street Commissioner Hanthorn will receive the thanks of all pedestrians for his efforts in keeping the crosswalks clear of mud, especially on Sundays.

Members of the republican city and ward committees should not forget the meeting at the Myers house this evening. See call in another column.

The social dance given by the members of Washington Camp, Patriotic Order Sons of America, at Liberty Hall on Saturday evening, was well attended and thoroughly enjoyed.

The store lately occupied by Shee & Sons, next to the postoffice, best location in the city, is offered for rent. Enquire of Shee & Sons, directly across the street, 1st floor up stairs.

Evansville Enterprise—J. H. Carr has returned to Madison to engage in what business we have not yet learned, but with him the best of success and prosperity believing him to be a very worthy young man, his only failing, if any, being inexperience, which can only be gained by years of hard toil.

Misses Blanche Sweeney and Genevieve Wilson entertained their little friends charmingly at a "pink tea" in the Grand Hotel parlors Saturday afternoon.

A dancing party will be given in La Prairie Grange Hall to-morrow evening.

F. M. Rancette is one of the floor managers, and a number of Janesville young people will attend.

Stores may come, and stores may go, but we go on forever—SELLING GROCERIES.

Why? Because I, advertiser, and give you just what I agree to. I want your cash. My "annual" sale is larger this season than ever. Get my prices on all groceries. FRED VANRIE, West Milwaukee street.

Miss Lou Kent spent Sunday in Rockford.

LaCroze county's agricultural association voted to ask the legislature to retain the dairy and food commission.

## COURTS AND CRIME.

Michael Manion Asked to Identify a Murderer.

## SALOON BURGLAR JAILED.

Wife-Beater Fined in the Municipal Court. McKenny's Trial for Embezzlement Again Put Over—Other Work in the Courts. Hogan's Tramps Escape Jail.

Michael Manion has returned from Chicago where he went to identify a supposed murderer. Some weeks ago an old man was slain in a switch shanty at Desplaines. Manion was in Desplaines on business that day and was in a saloon near the switch house when an unknown man came in for a drink. It has since been thought that this man was responsible for the murder, and when an arrest was made last week, Manion was called upon to identify the suspect. He told the Chicago police that he thought the man arrested and the man he saw in the Desplaines saloon were the same, but was not positive.

## SIX PRISONERS ESCAPED.

Six of Sheriff Hogan's boarders escaped from custody this morning. They were at work wheeling stone, and while the watchman was shaking a Beloit tramp, who did not feel like working, the six men made a break for liberty. They escaped; and though the sheriff hit upon his horse and chased them, they all got away. Three were from Beloit and three from Clinton. All were under ten days' sentence; three having seven days to serve and three of them three days. The six tramps and John Malcorra make seven now who have escaped within a few days.

## JAILED FOR STEALING WHISKY.

John Tully, who broke into Johnson's saloon in Beloit and stole sixteen bottles of whisky, was lodged in jail to-day. The burglary was committed six weeks ago, and Tully was drinking in the same saloon Saturday evening when Officer English recognized him. He pleaded not guilty this morning, and was held for trial.

## WIFE-BEATER FINED \$10.

August Benwitz paid ten dollars and costs in the municipal court to-day for beating his wife over the head with a stick of cord wood last Thursday during a family tiff.

## MINOR COURT NOTES.

The case of Andrew Johnson, charged with stealing a buffalo robe on the night of the Burns festival, was discharged by Judge Patterson to-day, there being no evidence against him. The case of Guy Graves charged with stabbing a companion during a fight at Beloit, was adjourned until March 30.

G. H. McKenny, the young man who is charged with embezzlement while agent for the Singer Sewing Machine Company at Beloit, will be tried March 30.

Frank Dougherty, the boy who is charged with burglarizing O. H. Kenek's meat market, got a continuance until March 2.

William Powers, the young man charged with the larceny of nine dollars from his father, got a continuance until March 2.

## PATENT GIVEN TO J. W. DAVIS.

A New Shuttle Blade Perfected by a Janesville Man.

J. W. Davis, of this city, has been granted a patent on a shuttle-blade. Mr. Davis' improvement was suggested by years of experience and weaving machinery and is pronounced valuable. Other proofs of Wisconsin ingenuity which received letters patent during the week were: K. G. Barais, Madison, check-book; B. Brodbeck, Milwaukee; fire indicator and extinguishing system; J. Caldwell, Beloit, compound valve; W. H. Crawford, Oshkosh; valve; A. J. Den, Milwaukee, bake pan; M. Johnson and J. Reichert, Racine, horse collar fastener; A. O. Melars, Door Creek, appliance for regulating the action of windmill pumps; J. Pelzer and J. Werel, Hambrill, fanning mill; W. J. Stillman, Madison, roaster; S. R. Wagg, Appleton, paper pulp boiler; T. S. Wilcox, Milwaukee, gang saw mill; A. V. Wikkoil, Milwaukee, carpet fastener.

## ASKS OLD FRIENDS FOR HELP.

A Janesville Woman in Dakota Writes Calling for Help.

Mrs. Henry Andrews writes from Powell, Edmunds county, South Dakota, that there is great destitution in that part of Dakota, and that crops have failed two years in succession. "If you could get us some shoes, stockings and underwear, or clothing of any kind for adults and children," she writes to Philo London, "it would do us so much good. All their farms are mortgaged, and if a box is made up and sent to me, I will see to it that the poor people get it. Our depot is fifteen miles from here, at Ipswich. Send us something and God will reward you ten fold."

Mrs. Andrews formerly lived in Janesville, her maiden name being Miss Frances A. Wagner. John P. Wagner was her father and was a man well known in this county. Any contributions can be left at the Gazette office and will be forwarded.

## JENKINS' BUCKLE A SUCCESS.

A Janesville Patent Which Cannot Be Manufactured Fast Enough.

Charles H. Jenkins left for Chicago this morning in the interest of his patent buckle. The new buckle is a model of simplicity and completeness. It is so built that the tongue which goes through the strap is lower than the balance of the buckle and fits so tightly that nothing can get under it. The buckles are particularly handsome, and while no more expensive than the old style are much neater. Chicago parties have taken hold of the invention and they cannot make them fast enough to supply the demand.

## DEATH CAUSED BY A CESS POOL.

At Least One Case of Diphtheria Due to Foul Cess.

Cess pools and privy vaults are held directly responsible for one if not two of the deaths from diphtheria in this city. Surface vaults and cess pools which have stood for years have impregnated the earth all around them with foulness, and while the earth crust remains frozen, the

bad gases have been finding escape into the cellars of neighboring dwellings and are believed to have carried the diphtheria germs.

## BRIEF TALES OF THE TOWN.

Four Score and Ten.

On yesterday, February 15, Theodore Kendall passed his nineteenth birthday at his home on Madison street. Mr. Paige, a nephew, living at Waupun, came down to spend the day with his uncle, and many friends and neighbors called to extend congratulations and well wishes. Mr. Kendall is among the earliest settlers of the city, and has seen it transformed from a wilderness to the busy, beautiful city it now is. His health has been quite infirm during this winter, but he is gradually though slowly improving, and may yet be with us for some years.

## IN HONOR OF MISS WIGGIN.

Nashville American—Mrs. Hiram B. Stubblefield gave a very pretty luncheon yesterday afternoon at 2 o'clock complimentary to Miss Wiggin, who is visiting her sister, Mrs. W. C. Dake. The colors of the table were pink, the arrangement of which was exceedingly tasteful and pretty. Twelve courses were served between 2 and 5 o'clock to the following ladies: Mrs. Hiram B. Stubblefield, Miss Wiggin, Mrs. W. C. Dake, Mrs. D. R. Stubblefield, Mrs. George W. Stahlman, Mrs. Harry Moore, Mrs. W. K. Miller and Mrs. G. P. Rose.

## DOVE THROUGH A WINDOW.

"We had a great time Friday evening with John Spellman, the son of the great diller, said Conductor Clark Stuart, who runs the 625 limited on the Northwestern. "Spellman is wanted for robbing the mail. An officer had him in the charge taking him to Chicago. Near Woodstock he went into the toilet room and when I opened the door of the room at Desplaines he had jumped through the window and disappeared. Officers are hunting for him but he hasn't been found yet."

## TWO TEAMS ON ONE BUGGY.

Charles Snyder, the Beloit liveryman, attracted considerable attention this afternoon by driving through the streets with four horses hitched to his buggy. He brought up the big clock that is on exhibition at the Lutheran church, and had the buggy attached behind. The wagon that the clock was brought up on was left here, and the jolly liveryman had his buggy and a four-horse team to go home with.

## "THIRTEEN" PROVED LUCKY.

The "Ele Club," composed of thirteen little second warders, was entertained on Saturday evening last by Miss Lillian Otis, at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Garret Veeder. After a happy evening devoted to various games and story telling, the little people departed for their homes, each carrying a handsome souvenir of St. Valentine's day.

## NO FAVOR TO BOX PULLERS.

It will cost Heffernan and Blow only \$135.32 for their exploits on Friday night in pulling out the fire department on a false alarm. The action of the chief engineer in prosecuting the case is to be commended, and the public will give him a vote of thanks should he succeed in bringing other parties to answer for similar offenses.

## STRIKE OF TOBACCO HANDLERS.

There was a little excitement at the Holdredge & Green warehouse this morning, the hands in the sorting room going on a strike. The affair was soon adjusted, and work was resumed. The cause of the strike was dissatisfaction among the hands at the actions of some of the overseers.

## BENT ON NEW UNIFORMS.

Milwaukee militia men say Adjutant General Doe is confident that new uniforms will be granted. The agitation will be kept up until the last, they say. In the meantime the frayed garments of the militia are being mended, and they are getting more faded every day.

## COUNTY MEETING OF THE A. O. H.

The officers and several members of Divisions Nos. 1 and 2, Ancient Order of Hibernians, went to Beloit Sunday to attend the county board meeting and attend to business concerning the order. They returned home last evening. The principal business considered was that relating to the insurance branch of the order.

## ANOTHER WHIST VICTORY.

Will A. Jackson of this city and Ed. Mann of Madison, the Phi Psi Whist team at the state university, defeated Durand and Raymond, the representatives of the Bigs City, by a score of 50 to 37. This is the sixth successive victory of this team, no defeat yet having sailed their record.

## FOUR FLAGS AT HALF MAST.

The United States flag is at half mast on the Army, and also on the G. A. R. flag-staff, and on the east and west side engine houses, as an expression of public sentiment on the death of two of America's heroes—General Sherman and Admiral Porter.

## WILL PLAY IN MADISON.

The Janesville Light Infantry base ball team will play the university nine at Madison Friday evening. Quite a delegation from this city will go up with them to see the game.

## SEVERAL TO HEAR STANLEY.

Judge J. B. Bennett and a number of Janesville people will go to Madison to-morrow evening to hear Stanley lecture on the "The Dark Continent."

## PLANS FOR JUNE TROTTERING.

Horses May Go From Janesville to Bloomington or Minneapolis.

The June meeting at the Janesville Driving Park will take place June 16-19, the circuit of the Northern Illinois and Southern Wisconsin Association having been arranged in the following order: Elgin, Rockford, Janesville, Freeport, Minneapolis, and St. Paul. Minneapolis and St. Paul are not really in the circuit, but dates have been so arranged that horses can either be taken from Freeport to Minneapolis or to Bloomington, Illinois. The managers of the local park anticipates large list of entries. Some of the finest and fastest horses will be present.

## HOISERY SELL THIS WEEK AT ARCHIE REID'S.

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## MOURN FOR SHERMAN.

Governor Peck Orders Flags at Half Mast.

## EXERCISES IN SCHOOLS.

A Bill to be Introduced To-morrow Declaring Chronic Inebriates Insane and Authorizing Their Commitment in Asylums—Discuss New Laws.

MADISON, Feb. 16.—[Special]—Governor Peck to-day issued a proclamation announcing the death of General Sherman and ordering all flags on public buildings and national guard armories placed at half mast and that all armories be draped in mourning Thursday, the day of the funeral. He recommends that appropriate memorial exercises be held in each school on Friday. He also recommends that all comrades who can, attend the funeral at St. Louis.

## CALLS DRUNKARDS INSANE.

Bill to be Introduced by Senator Main To-morrow.

MADISON, Feb. 16.—[Special]—Senator Main will introduce a bill to-morrow giving Wisconsin courts the power to adjudge habitual drunkards insane and to place them in asylums. Governor Hoard vetted a similar bill two years ago.

Preparations are being extensively made to entertain the Editorial Association which meets here Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday of this week. There will be a grand ball in their honor in the assembly chamber Tuesday. Governor Peck will make the address of welcome. It is understood the editors will have a bill introduced, amending the law of libel. The bill generally favored is that of Assemblyman Rosenkrantz which provides that in all cases where alleged libelous publications are made, malice shall not be presumed, unless a retraction or apology is refused to be made, or unless the circumstances surrounding the publication and refusal to retract or apologize, conclusively prove malice. The publication shall be presumed to have been published in good faith and for justifiable ends.

The legislature will meet to-morrow, it being the last day for the introduction of new bills. There will be a perfect avalanche of bills in each house.

## SHOT A SMALL POX PATIENT.

An Officer Enforces the Health Ordinance—Other State News.

Wolves are annoying farmers near Madison.

An attempt to organize a new lodge of Knights of Pythias at Racine is causing trouble.

Patriot Delaney, a small pox patient, escaped from the pest-house at Prairie du Chien and was shot by an officer. He died of the disease.

The alleged case of leprosy near Durand was visited by Dr. Hough, of Minneapolis, and others and was pronounced a case of lupus.

## FINE HORSE FOR H. D. MCKINNEY.

"Woodcraft" a Noted Chicago Horse Added to the Janesville Stables.

H. D. McKinney is a liberal buyer as well as seller. He has recently purchased from F. S. Gorton, Chicago, "Woodcraft" one of the finest individual and best bred trotting stallions in the country. He is as black as a raven; stands sixteen and three-quarters hands high, weighs 1,350 pounds, has trotted in 2:28 and never had a fall season's training. He is sired by Menelaus, son of Hamblanton who sired Cleora, with a record of 2:18½ in his first and only race; Cleora then sold to the Standard Oil magnate, Rockefeller, for \$15,000. Six others of Menelaus' get trot in 2:30 or better. Woodcraft's dam was sired by Woodburn Pilot, son of Pilot Jr., dam by Mambrino Chief. Woodburn Pilot was considered the best son of Pilot Jr., and sold for \$10,000 to the Vermont Breeders' Association.

Farmers and breeders will be shown the horse with pleasure at Mr. McKinney's stable in town. If you like a grand horse, call and see him.

## TICKETS TO NEW ORLEANS.

The Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul railroad company will sell round trip tickets to New Orleans for the Mardi Gras to be held February 10, 1891, at \$26.50. Tickets will be sold February 13, 1891, inclusive, good for return until February 23. The transit limit being two days in each direction.

## ODDS AND ENDS.

Walnut trees do not prosper above 3,600 feet, ash at 4,800, and fir at 6,700 feet above sea level.

Bacon was 59 before he published his great work, "De Novum Organum."

The card by mail is an invitation to call, though it would be more polite to leave the card in person.

Milners claim that we will have the narrow velvet-ribbon strings on hats and bonnets this spring.

It is claimed that in almond and Madras nut culture the Pacific coast bids fair to surpass the world.

It takes about three seconds for a message to go from one end of the Atlantic cable to the other.

The body of the late Alexander William Kinglake, the "Historian," has been cremated in England, according to his last expressed wish.

Never let the sun's rays strike a mirror. It acts upon the mercury and makes the glass cloudy, which all the rubbing in the world will not remove.

When a fly is bitten by a spider its whole body seems seized with convulsive twitchings, and death generally occurs after a few minutes.

Most people have plenty of hard common sense; the real difficulty lies in it that they use it on others more frequently than they do on themselves.

All-clamp, nickel-plated skates free to every boy and girl in Janesville. Read the offer in our advertising columns.

IF YOU HAVE SOMETHING THE PEOPLE NEED TELL THEM ABOUT IT THROUGH THE GAZETTE. YOU CAN'T FIND A MORE SUCCESSFUL SALESMAN.

## UNDER DEATH'S SHADOW.

Miss Elizabeth Webster.

Miss Elizabeth Webster, daughter of Mrs. Helen M. Webster, died at her home, 157 South Jackson street, Sunday evening, of diphtheria, aged 27 years. The death of Miss Webster is particularly sad, it being the second death in the same family within a few days. She was attacked about a week ago, and on Friday it was thought her condition had so improved that her life would be saved. Saturday, the disease took a turn for the worse and she struggled on between life and death until about eight o'clock Sunday evening, when life departed from the body. Private funeral services were held this afternoon at four o'clock, and the remains were quietly laid in a grave in Oak Hill